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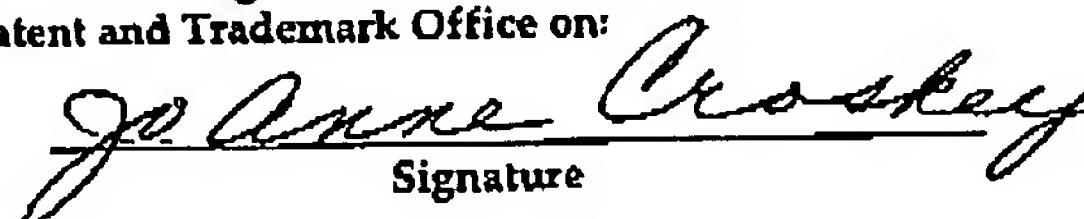
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AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

Mail Stop Amendment  
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Dear Examiner:

In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment (37 CFR 1.121),  
attached is the revised claim section of the Amendment filed on February 10, 2006.

If any fee is required for the filing of this Response, the Commissioner is  
hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 50-0476.

Respectfully submitted,

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